### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Michael J. Czaplicki

Application No.: 10/718,509

Group No.: 3754 Filed: 11/20/2003 Examiner: P.F. Brinson

For: BLADDER SYSTEM FOR REINFORCING A PORTION OF A LONGITUDINAL

STRUCTURE

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### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

#### STATUS

Applicant is other than a small entity. 2.

## EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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### FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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	CLAIMS		***************************************								
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TOTAL	33		45	=	0	x	\$	50.00	=	\$	50.00
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM							\$	0.00	=	\$	0.00
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